

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-17 (Cancelled)

18. (New) A method of manufacturing a hearing device comprising:

forming a first part of a first material; and

injection molding a second part of a second material integrally with the first part, thereby assembling the first and second parts together.

19. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein at least one of the first and second parts is a portion of a housing of the hearing device.

20. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein at least one of the first and second parts is a seal.

21. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein one of the first and second parts is a portion of a housing of the hearing device and the other of the first and second parts is a seal.

22. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein at least one of the first and second parts is an acoustical conductor.

23. (New) The method of claim 22, wherein the acoustical conductor is formed at an output side of an electromechanical transducer of the hearing device.

24. (New) The method of claim 22, wherein the acoustical conductor is formed at an input side of an acoustical/electrical transducer of the hearing device.

25. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein one of the first and second parts is a resilient bush configured to seat a transducer.

26. (New) The method of claim 18 further comprising, injection molding a third part of a third material integrally with the first and second parts, thereby assembling the first, second, and third parts together.

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27. (New) The method of claim 26, wherein the first, second, and third parts comprise a housing, a seating bush, and an acoustical conductor.

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28. (New) The method of claim 26, wherein the first, second, and third parts are formed by simultaneous injection molding.

29. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein the first part is formed by injection molding.

30. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein the first and second parts are formed by simultaneous injection molding.

31. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein injection molding a second part of a second material integrally with the first part comprises forming a rim portion of a feed-through aperture of a housing.

32. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein the first part is a first surface area of a housing for the hearing device and the second part is a second surface area of the housing, the second surface area being adjacent to the first surface area.

33. (New) The method of claim 32, wherein the first and second surface areas are differently palpable.

34. (New) The method of claim 18, further comprising mounting a unit of the hearing device into an opening of a bordering area, the bordering area being formed by the first and second parts.

35. (New) The method of claim 34, wherein the unit of the hearing device is a manually operable control element.

36. (New) A method of forming a hearing device comprising:
injection molding a first part from a first material; and
injection molding a second part from a second material simultaneously with the first part
such that the first and second parts are assembled together.

37. (New) A method of forming a hearing device comprising:
means for forming a first part of a first material;
means for forming a second part of a second material; and
means for assembling the first part to the second part.